

Appendix 1.

Mini Mental Examination

Score	Section	Task
	Orientation	
5		What is- year, season, date, day, month
5		Where are we- country, county, town, hospital, floor
	Registration	
3		Name 3 objects, 1 second to say each, ask patient to recall all 3.
5		Serial 7's, (100-7, 93-7 etc.) Stop after 5 correct
3		Ask for the aforementioned 3 objects
	Language	
2		Name pencil and watch
1		Repeat the following 'No ifs, ands, or buts'
3		Follow three stage command 'TAKE PAPER IN YOUR HAND, FOLD IT AND PUT IT ON YOUR LAP'
3		Read and obey 'CLOSE YOUR EYES'

Score Results

>25 Normal

>22 Borderline Cognitive Dysfunction

>20 Marked Cognitive Dysfunction

<17 Severe Dementia